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AGENDA REGULAR MEETING OF THE HOUSING COMMISSION

DATE & TIME

Wednesday, December 17, 2008, 7:00 p.m.

LOCATION

Independence Plaza Ruth Rambeau Memorial Community Room

703 Atlantic Avenue, Alameda, CA

Welcome to the meeting of the Housing Commission of the City of Alameda. Regular Housing Commission meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month at Independence Plaza.

Public Participation

Anyone wishing to address the Commission on agenda items or business introduced by Commissioners may speak for a maximum of three minutes per agenda item when the subject is before the Commission. Please file a speaker's slip with the Executive Director if you wish to address the Housing Commission.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

1. <u>ROLL CALL</u> - Housing Commission

2. CONSENT CALENDAR

- Consent Calendar items are considered routine and will be approved or accepted by one motion unless a request for removal for discussion or explanation is received from the Housing Commission or a member of the public.
- 2-A. Minutes of the Housing Commission Regular Meeting held November 19, 2008. Staff recommends acceptance.

- 2-B. Budget Variance Report. Staff recommends acceptance of this report.
- 2-C. Esperanza Flat Rent Increase. Adopt the proposed flat rents for Esperanza with an effective date of December 18, 2008 for new tenants and February 1, 2009 for existing tenants.
- 2-D. Revising Payment Standards for the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program. Staff recommends the Housing Commission adopt the HUD-approved Success Rate Payment Standards as described in this report.

3. AGENDA

- 3-A. Quarterly Police Report. This report is provided for information only.
- 3-B. Housing Authority Budget Revision No. 1 for Fiscal Year 2009 The Executive Director and staff recommend the Housing Commission approve the proposed budget for revision number 1 for FY2009.
- 3-C. Housing Authority Mission, Vision and Goals. This report is for information only.
- 4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS, Non-Agenda (Public Comment)
- 5. COMMISSIONER COMMUNICATIONS, (Communications from the Commissioners)
- 6. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

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